

The "Birch" in Classical Times.

We are aware that the title which we have chosen is, strictly speaking, a misnomer. There was no "birch" in classical times...

no less an authority than that of Chrypsius, expresses a strong disapproval, which he bases to no small extent upon the argument of decency.

The Last Supper, by Leonardo da Vinci.

The great workers of the Middle Ages were not merely the engineers of new lines of thought; they were also the brave navigators who, with their own hands, hewed and dug.

RAILROAD LINES.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD. AFTER 8 P. M., SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1870. The trains of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad leave the Depot at THIRTY-FIRST and MARKET STREETS...

RAILROAD LINES.

READING RAILROAD—GREAT TRUNK LINE. From Philadelphia to the interior of Pennsylvania, the Schuylkill, Susquehanna, Cumberland, and Wyoming Valleys, the North, North-west, and the Caradoc.

AUCTION SALES.

LAFINCOTT, SON & CO., AUCTIONEERS. No. 26 MARKET STREET. On Monday, May 10, LARGE SPECIAL SALE OF OVER 500 GASHES BOOTS AND SHOES...

AUCTION SALES.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Nos. 189 and 194 N. 4th Street. Sale in Camden, N. J., No. 210 Friends' avenue, between Second and Third, and above Copper Street...

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON, AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

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RAILROAD LINES.

1870.—FOR NEW YORK.—THE OGDEN RAILROAD COMPANY'S LINES FROM PHILADELPHIA TO NEW YORK AND WAY PLACES. FROM WALNUT STREET WHARF.

OPHIAN'S COURT SALE.

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THE PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD. CHANNING OZ HIGGINS. On and after MONDAY, April 4, 1870, trains will run as follows: LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, from depot of P. W. & B. Co. Company, corner Broad Street and Washington Avenue...

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